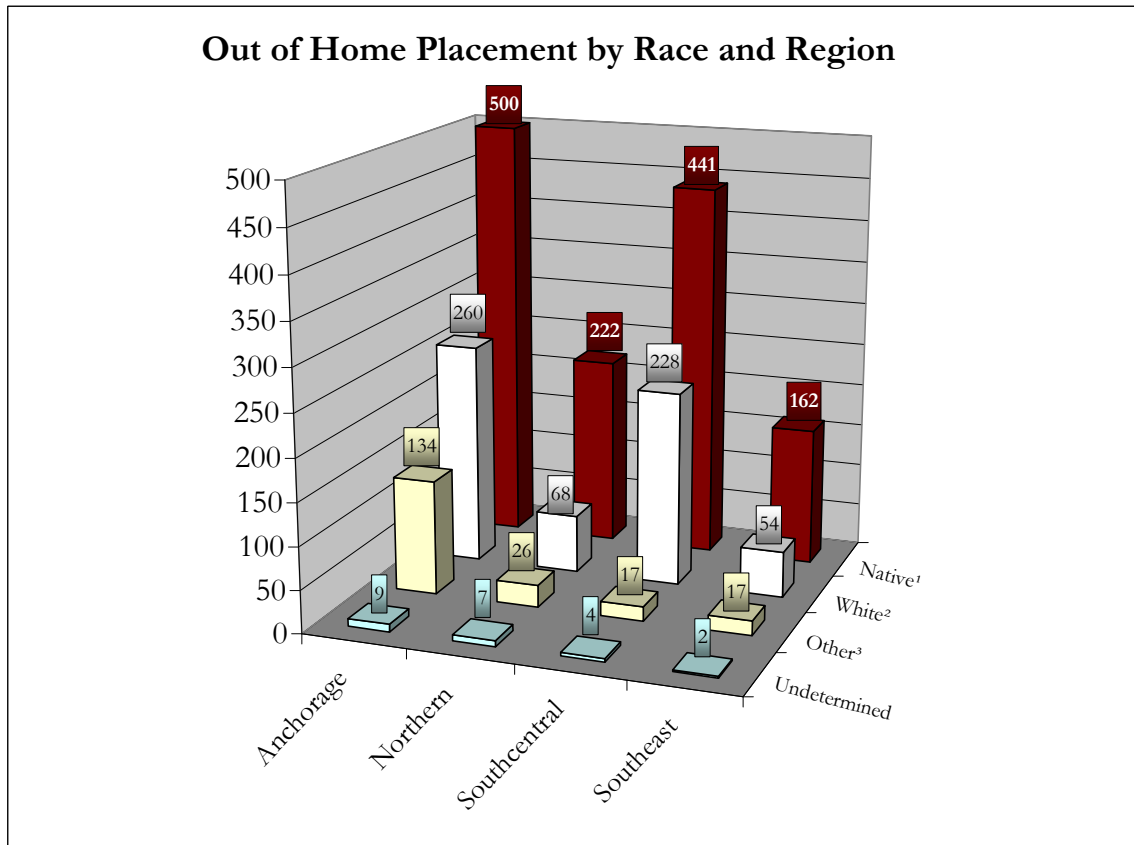


### *All Children in Alaska OCS Out-of-home placement for the month of December, 2007, by Race and Region*

Out-of-home placement is the last option considered when reasonable efforts to protect a child in his or her own home have been exhausted by OCS. The first preference considered in all out-of-home placements for a child or youth is a relative's home. When it is not possible to place a child with a relative it is necessary to place the child in a licensed foster home. Residential care facilities may offer short-term emergency shelter as well as more long-term residential treatment. A single child may experience more than one setting type in a given month.



All Children in Alaska OCS Out-of-home placement for the month of December, 2007.													TOTAL	
Race	Native <sup>1</sup>			White <sup>2</sup>			Other <sup>3</sup>			Undetermined				
Region	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total		
Anchorage	253	247	500	123	137	260	66	68	134	6	3	9		903
Northern	100	122	222	42	26	68	15	11	26	1	6	7		323
Southcentral	236	205	441	105	123	228	10	7	17	3	1	4		690
Southeast	81	81	162	23	31	54	10	7	17	2	0	2		235
Total	670	655	1,325	293	317	610	101	93	194	12	10	22	2,151	

<sup>1</sup> Native is any mention of Alaska Native or American Indian.

<sup>2</sup> White is White only, excluding all other races.

<sup>3</sup> Other includes any mention of Asian, Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, or Black/ African American.

Data Source: ORCA. Program used to tabulate statistics: monthlyreport.sas.

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